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Dear Sir:

In accordance with applicants duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, we are enclosing from PTO/SB/08A listing information that may be material to the patentability of this application.

We are enclosing a copy of the following citations that are listed in the attached PTO/SB/08A: U.S. Patent Nos. 6,042,815; 5,599,541; 6,274,131 and 5,460,808.

It is Applicant's belief that none of the above citations describes that which is claimed in the present invention.

It should be understood that attention has been called to the citations that have been deemed to be pertinent to the claimed present invention. In concluding what was pertinent, the

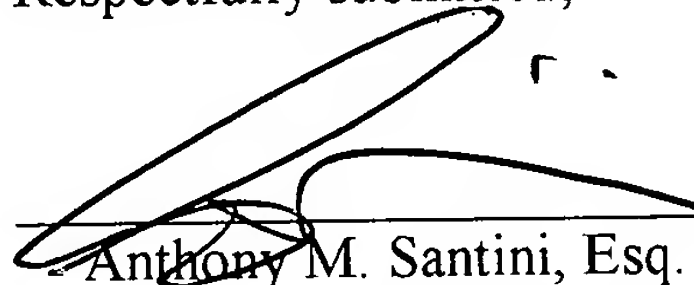
criteria employed was considered most appropriate in light of the invention shown in the present application. However, the Examiner or others may deem some other criteria to be just as appropriate or more appropriate. Therefore, the Examiner is respectfully urged to review the listed citations and to make the usual careful independent search for other prior art that may be pertinent.

Applicants respectfully request favorable consideration and that this application be passed to allowance.

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